

Abstract

Method of treating a parasitic infection

5 When selamectin is administered to a female animal over a period commencing during pregnancy and ending during lactation, endo- and ecto-parasite infestations are either treated or prevented in that animal's offspring, avoiding the problems of treating the offspring directly. This leads to improvements in the compliance of dosing and hence the efficacy of treatment and reduces the number of doses to be administered leading to economic benefits and greater convenience.